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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 15, 2005, the period of response for which runs through November 15, 2005, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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